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## CARNIVAL AT RAUSCHER'S

### OLD-TIMERS RECALL PAST SOCIAL DOINGS

Looks Forward to Present May  
Carnival To Be Extremely  
"Classy" Affair.

SOME PARTY PREDICTED  
BY EVERYONE AT G. W. U.

Dull Care To Be Driven Away; Reasons  
for Supporting Social Events  
of University Related.

With the pleasant prospect of a big all-University jollification in the immediate foreground, G. W. social stars of the first and lesser magnitudes are looking forward to the May Carnival as just about the classiest thing in its line that ever roused the natives in these parts.

They scent nothing ominous or foreboding in the change of place from the Willard to Rauscher's on account of fire damage, and at present sit pretty high in the clouds of tantalizing jazz harmony, alluring co-eds in dance array, and a spirit of hilarity, jollity and camaraderie properly befitting this extraordinary occasion. SOME PARTY, they predict.

But take it from the May-fetters of yesteryear (ever what they are), the boys and girls will have to step if they produce anything near like the big get-together pulled off last May up at the Arcade. That social event made history in the national capital, if you get it straight from the old heads. The folks just naturally drove Dull Care up a blind alley and tramped on him, so to speak. And it goes without saying that everybody that was anybody was there. President Harding would have been there—promised not to dis-

miss business was something terrible. District attorney bill, an admission measure was up for consideration at a night session on the Hill, and the Democrats were running very close to form in lambasting it. It was a legislative situation that required close attention, and the President was compelled to forego a great pleasure.

"Social affairs at this University in the past have attained to such a degree of genuine entertainment and have fostered in such abundant measure those principles of social good fellowship that should prevail wherever cultured people unite in a common purpose, that sometimes ask myself has not the limit in this direction been reached?" was asked Robert Tullian on being interrupted in his studies at the Law School. "In our quest for the unique, the genuinely entertaining, and the wholly uplifting in social contact, we have so far run the gamut of social activities, I seriously doubt whether the forthcoming May Carnival will offer to our social sense anything wholly new. Now, there was the Junior Prom of last year, etc."

J. Fuller interviewed. It was the good fortune of a Hatchet representative to encounter J. Fuller, sportsman of the way home from a meeting of the Free Lancers not long since. When George Washington University students as a whole decide to stage a social affair, it follows in the nature of things social that all other activities, both on the campus and off must for the nonce cease to pursue their homely way," said Mr. Spoerri, warming perceptibly to his theme. "On such occasions we are a body social of established prestige, and we proceed on no unsteady footing and with bold assurance to grasp the hand in revelry of those socially inclined. Considerations of rank and standing are for the nonce thrown aside, and we are all one in merriment. It was my very great pleasure to attend the Football Dance (Continued on page three.)

### RIOT OF COLOR EXPECTED

Bal Masque To Make Easter  
Parade Look Like Funeral  
Procession.

Color is going to be the predominating feature of the Carnival. Of that we're certain. Whoever saw a bal masque that didn't look like an old-fashioned flower garden in full bloom? Her predominating color will be Nile green and his will be cerise or orchid, so that together they'll look like grandma's pet geranium on the kitchen window ledge.

Thank heaven! The decorations of the ballroom will at least be harmonious. The owners will see to that. The sea of color will be those present, and the only mad waves present will be those marceels gone wrong from the dampness. The Easter parade'll look like a funeral compared to the riot of colors. There'll have to be special provisions made to keep order when a burnt orange and an electric blue make connections in a circular.

Break out your atrocious, and your \$3 and you can get in—if you've got a ticket and you can pass the Dean's censorship. I'll be seeing you.

## Fire at Willard Hotel Forces Change in Plan; Committee Limits Sale of Tickets

### SYNCOPIATION TO BE FURNISHED BY BOERNSTEIN'S BIG ORCHESTRA

### Arrange for Attractive Decorations; Prominent Persons in National, City and University Circles to Serve as Patrons and Patronesses for Big Social Event

Fire which broke out in the New Willard Hotel early Sunday morning, April 23, damaging the ballrooms, has caused the postponement, transfer, or cancellation of many sparkling events billed to occur there within the next few weeks, among which was the May Fete Carnival, George Washington's biggest social event of the school year. Quick to grasp the gravity of the situation from G. W.'s standpoint and realizing the necessity for prompt action, if another place were to be secured for the Carnival, Glenn Corbett, chairman of the Student Council committee in charge of

### COLFLESH AND BURDICK ELECTED TO MANAGERS

To Elect Managing and News Editors  
of The Hatchet in Addition to  
Editor in Chief.

At the last meeting of the Student Council held Wednesday evening, April 26, motions concerning the election of the various student offices falling vacant at this time were considered.

Due to the lack of sufficient time for the signing of petitions for nomination to Student Council membership for the coming year it was decided to postpone action upon the matter until the next regular meeting.

It was decided that the positions of editor in chief, managing editor, and news editor of The Hatchet should be elected by vote of the Student Council. Applications for the above positions should be made in writing to John Paul Campbell, Jr., at 2123 N Street Northwest. Council representatives on the Board of Managers for the coming school year will be elected in the case of Robert Colflesh and Bernard Burdick.

### HONORARY LETTER AWARDED ANDERSON

G. W. Given in Recognition of Service  
as President of Student Council  
During Past Year.

Following a precedent established by Student Councils of George Washington University in years gone by, that body unanimously awarded Robert N. Anderson, president of the council, an honorary G. W. at a recent meeting in recognition of his services in that position for the past year.

"Bob" is a member of the Delta Tau Delta fraternity, enrolled in the Law School, and has been very active in student affairs since entering the University. He graduated with distinction from Columbian College in the Class of 1921, making a high record in all his class work.

### TO ELECT W. C. C. OFFICERS.

The annual election of the officers of the Women's University Club is to be held in the club rooms on the evening of May 4. All girls who have paid their dues for the year are entitled and urged to attend and cast their votes.

### SOPH MIXER HELD.

Fifty couples swayed to jazzy strains of a 3-piece orchestra in Lisner Hall Wednesday evening, April 26, when the Sophmores held their second mixer of this school year.

### TO LECTURE ON RADIO.

Tuesday evening, May 2, at 8 o'clock, Prof. Brown, of the physics department, will give a lecture on the principles of radio telegraphy and telephony. This lecture will be illustrated by lantern slides and demonstration experiments. Transmitting and receiving apparatus will be shown in operation. Music will be received from a near-by station and transmitted by the loud speaker-phone.

### PRE-MEDICS WIN, 15-13.

The Pre-Medic baseball team won a close match from the Engineers by 15 to 13 last Monday, April 24. Both teams showed a remarkable lack of practice, filling the innings with heavy slugging and numerous errors.

The Saturday previous the Pre-Medics met the Maryland County League at Kensington, but were dubbed with defeat at the tune of 17 to 1.

arrangements, lost no time in getting into action, and after many phone calls succeeded in getting Rauscher's for the evening of May 4.

### RAUSCHER'S IS POPULAR

This will undoubtedly prove as popular with the students, since it will be recalled that Rauscher's has been the scene of the most memorable and pleasant social events of the university during this and previous years.

Unfortunately, however, Rauscher's is smaller, thus forcing the committee to limit the sale of tickets to 300 couples. Those who are planning to go—and who isn't?—should see to procuring a ticket at once from members of the Student Council or from Glenn Corbett.

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### CARNIVAL TIME

From the time when Adam called all the animals into Eden and gave them drafts of the original home-brewed apple jack as the caper on the velvet lawn of Paradise, real Carnival's date.

That they were at once immensely popular has never been doubted. Ancient Egypt reveled in them, Assyria staggered through them, Babylon bowed with them until wine-blurred eyes distinguished the writing on the wall, and she passed out in Belshazzar's company. Cultured Athens of Alcibiades' hour witnessed Rome elevated them to notoriety, but it was the far-famed Cleo herself, above all nations and time, who made a carnival well, a carnival.

And then last year, George Washington improved on Cleo's order, according to all reports, in having a mardi gras all its own, bursting with balloons, raining with confetti, shining with eyes and lights, and gay with costumes and music and the aroma of the descendant of Adam's Own. There were three men who still knew each other after the patrons left, and one of them was the Secretary. It was a wonderful party! So great was the success, so keen the joy, that everyone is holding his breath and his pocketbook, now, until the next one comes off. It won't be long now. Carnival Time!

### CARNIVAL HIGH SPOTS

The Second May Bal Masque Carnival will be at Rauscher's, Connecticut Avenue and L Streets Northwest.

The date is May 4; the time is 8 o'clock, p. m.

Music will be furnished by Boernstein's famous ten-piece orchestra, which now plays at the Washington Hotel.

President Harding, Members of Congress, District of Columbia officials, members of the Board of Trustees, and University officials have been invited.

Special features have been planned to add interest to the evening. Prizes will be given to the best and to the most unique costumes.

The price is \$3.00, and tickets are limited to 300 couples.

### THREE NATIVES DEFEND PHILIPPINES' FREEDOM

Debate To Be Judged by Congressmen  
Logan and Knutson and Dean Potney of American University.

Participation by three natives in a debate involving Philippine independence in competition with the representation of the Columbian Debating Society certainly is indicative of the fact that the arguments will be characterized by "bull-dog" tenacity and life interest. The debate will be held in the Thompson School, Twelfth and L Streets, at 8.15 tonight.

The question fully stated is: "Resolved, That the United States Should Grant Independence to the Philippines Immediately." This subject has been the victim of lengthy arguments and discussions presented both by Philippine representatives and United States Congressmen. Several investigations have been made regarding the exact conditions existing in the Philippines.

The fact that these three natives, who are members of the student body, are making a defense of their native land marks the debate as one of the most unique ever presented in the name of George Washington University.

The teams as represented are: Affirmative, George Diaz, Yarenon; negative, Cox, G. H. and Wright.

Representative Logan of South Carolina, Representative Knutson of Minnesota, and Dean Potney of American University constitute the judges of the debate. The president of the Columbian Debating Society, C. P. Swindler, will preside as chairman. Constructive speeches will be limited to 10 minutes and rebuttals to 5 minutes.

In a previous issue of The Hatchet it was announced that the debate would be held at the Y. M. C. A., but owing to conflicting arrangements, the debate will now be held in the Thompson School, at Twelfth and L Streets.

### MAY BAL MASQUE CARNIVAL TO BE COLORFUL AFFAIR (?)

As spring approaches, bringing with it jaded spirits, jaded appetites, and as well jaded complexions, we are glad to know that our co-eds are taking protective measures to insure the radiant glow of youth. We are moved to believe that this is true from an incident recently noticed when a large truck belonging to the Hugh Kelly Paint Co. drew up in front of the sorority rooms on G Street. The driver proceeded to deliver a huge order consisting of several buckets of paint and a five-pound box of tinting.

### FREE LANCERS TO DINE.

According to latest reports regarding the Free Lance Society, a dinner is planned for the benefit of its own members, to be held on Wednesday, May 10, but no one outside of the organization can catch a clue as to where it will take place. All who will partake of the feast will present speeches, but the subjects of them are not discernible, except that "Jazz" will dominate. One will elaborate on "Jazz in Religions," which presumably will include "Billy Sunday," while another will explicate on "Jazz in Politics," etc., but nothing definite seems to be procurable.

### Y. W. C. A. Caters to "Sweet Toothies."

Plans have been arranged for candy and rummage sales to raise money to send delegates to the Y. W. C. A. conference to be held at Eaglesmere, Pa., this summer. There will be a candy sale during the entire coming week, and it is hoped that many "sweet toothies" will be in evidence around the campus.

### DAVIS PRIZE AWARD LAW SCHOOL PREX

E. L. Scheufler's "America Tomorrow" Wins Coveted Honor  
in Oratorical Contest.

MISS COX TAKES SECOND  
WITH "HUMORESQUE"

T. C. Anderson's "Lest We Forget"  
Recounted Sacrifices Made During  
Great World Conflagration.

E. L. Scheufler, president of the Law Class of '24, was awarded the first prize in the Davis Prize speaking contest of the Department of Arts and Sciences following the delivery of their speeches by the contestants in the chapel of Lisner Hall Tuesday evening, April 25. Miss Carrie Juliet Cox was awarded the second prize and Mr. Thomas Cuyler Anderson the third.

"America Tomorrow," Mr. Scheufler's winning speech, was delivered with the same moderation and care that has made his debating successful. "America tomorrow," he warned, "to save itself from the state of the great world powers of the past, must educate itself to do its work well and accept its place cheerfully. A mad struggle to gain a higher place will leave the foundation rotten; moderation and cheerful honesty are necessary."

Miss Cox, in a much lighter vein, commended the saving grace of a sense of humor in her speech, "Humoresque." She gave account of a sense of humor as an asset in business, as a necessity for a healthy, as a keeper of sanity in the mind, and as a comfort and cheer in the great crises of life. She closed with the poet's interpretation of Mr. Lane's courageous words at his deathbed, "I accept." This, she said, was the secret of cheerfulness, no matter what the trial or what the mystery beyond—

I accept.

Mr. Anderson's speech, "Lest We Forget," recounted the great sacrifices that made our country as great as it is, and warned us not to forget easily the sacrifices of the late world war, nor the men who made these sacrifices.

Dean George Neely presided. The committee of award was composed of Prof. Hugh Miller, Assistant Prof. J. H. Pratt, and Assistant Prof. N. B. Ames. A quarter of the Men's Glee Club gave several selections at the beginning of the program. The full Girls' Glee Club entertained while the judges compared notes in preparation of the announcement of the winner.

### GAMMA TAU ZETA ELECTS FORMER HATCHET EDITOR

Melville Walker Attends National Convention of Phi Delta Epsilon at  
Champaign, Illinois.

C. Melville Walker, editor of The Hatchet, left Wednesday for Champaign, Ill., to attend the national convention of Phi Delta Epsilon held at the University of Illinois on April 29 and 30 as a representative of Gamma Tau Zeta, local honorary journalistic fraternity.

It is hoped by the members of the local fraternity that Phi Delta Epsilon will act favorably upon their petition for membership in the national fraternity.

At the last meeting of Gamma Tau Zeta, Howard H. Martin, editor of The Hatchet in 1917 and assistant editor in 1916, was inducted into membership. Martin is also a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity.

### CUM ON, WEEJEE!

Tell Me What To Wear So As To  
Win Prize for Most Original  
Outfit at Carnival.

Cum on, Weejee! Tell us how we're going to costume ourselves for the Big Party.

It's got to be original, Weejee—something that other folks won't have. I've had lots of suggestions, but I don't know just which one of them I'll take. There's that unpleasant thought that somebody may dress like I will, so you've just got to help me get something original. There's sure to be fast oodles of Colonial Dames and Gentlemen, ballet dancers, diving gladiators, yama yamas, clowns and tramps, so I don't think I'd better go as one of these. Then, too, there'll be hula hula dancers, splash-me dolls, Spanish señoritas, cute little Chinamen, wild Indians, and the usual "burt-dog" coons. So, you see, Weejee, I just can't be one of these.

Cum on, you little table, slip us something on the Q. T. about what the others are going to do 'n' then I'm certain to get that "most original" prize. Oh, Weejee, I don't know who I'm going with, but, TELL ME, what'll it be? Guess there's nothin' left for me to dress as but Pierrot, Columbine, or a would-be Dresden shepherdess. Weejee, you don't think there'll be anybody else there dressed like that, do you?



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## To Culminate the Year

Furthered by the success that has characterized many of our activities during this year, the second annual May Carnival and Bal Masque, to be held at Rauscher's on the evening of May 4, promises to be the greatest function yet held at this University. Under the direction of the Student Council there is no doubt that the Carnival will successfully acclaim the culmination of our victories and progress accomplished. Our new era of prosperity will doubtless institute this affair as an annual occurrence preeminent in our social activities, provided it is patronized by the student body.

Events of this caliber and magnitude are unusual except in the larger universities, and the opportunity to attend should be appreciated by every student. Everyone should realize that the hundreds of dollars at stake would make impossible any attempt to hold a similar affair in future years if this Carnival is a failure. Its failure would also signify that our students hold little love for their University, in that they are unwilling to stand behind the biggest social event of the year. There are so many things to be gained through the success of this affair that none of us should, through his individual action, be deemed responsible for its failure.

Among the pleasures attendant to receiving a college education there are some which stand out more prominently than others. Certain types may be classed as mere idle pastimes and monetary entertainment, while others repay a person for the remainder of his life in fond recollection and reminiscences. The May Carnival will characterize both kinds. It will not only be the greatest four hours of passing pleasure any individual will probably ever be privileged to receive, but it can be remembered afterward as the social epoch of George Washington University.

## Raising Our Standards

It has been very encouraging this year to notice that in each branch of our activities and in the scholastic side of our University the standards have been raised. The requisites for entrance to the Law School have been heightened; and the scholarship standards of the Arts and Sciences Department have been indirectly bettered through the institution of the honor system. Because of the increased number of aspirants to the leading positions in our activities, better men are being selected, which, in turn, will bring about their advancement. Also in our general and professional fraternities and in our honorary societies is this evident, the latest example being the restrictive membership and scholastic rules passed by the Enosinian Society. That we are able to raise the standards of the institutions of George Washington demonstrates the fact that we are progressing and that the future lies open to make this one of the biggest and best universities in the United States.

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## ELECTION DATES.

ALL PETITIONS FOR NOMINATION OF CANDIDATES FOR STUDENT COUNCIL MUST BE IN BY TUESDAY, MAY 2. NAMES OF THE CANDIDATES WILL BE POSTED IN THE FOLLOWING ISSUE OF THE HATCHET, THAT OF MAY 5. THE BALLOTING WILL TAKE PLACE IN THE WEEK IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THIS, ON MONDAY AND TUESDAY, MAY 8 AND 9.

H. H. SHINNICK,  
CHAIRMAN OF THE NOMINATION COMMITTEE.

## SPANISH CLUB COMPLETES HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL YEAR

Illustrated Lectures, Instructive Entertainments, and Brilliant Social Events Mark Second Season.

El Circulo Espanol has completed its second successful year as one of the most flourishing activities of the University, and already plans are being made for the first meetings of next year.

During the past year the club has presented several unusually interesting and instructive entertainments. Added to the usual business and social meetings of the club were several entertainments worthy of note, which were the Fiesta de Flores, an illustrated lecture on Mexico, and a Cervantes Day celebration. The first of these, La Fiesta de Flores, was a carnival affair, representative of the Christmas festivals of Seville. The members of the club attended in appropriate Spanish costumes and enjoyed an entertainment and dance in a highly decorated chapel. The lecture on Mexico was given by Mrs. Talbot of the New York City Board of Education, and was illustrated by a series of beautiful and instructive pictures. The Cervantes Day celebration was a local presentation of a nation-wide series of similar meetings to honor this great author. The meeting was addressed by Prof. Doyle and Vazquez on subjects appropriate to the occasion, and as interludes between these addresses Spanish songs and dances were rendered.

The officers and members of the club hope that in the future the club will be able to continue its work along similar lines as those engaged in this year and that its field of endeavor will be materially widened during its third year.

## W. U. C. REHEARSES PLAY.

Rehearsals were commenced this week for a play entitled, "The Doctor in Spite of Himself," to be given by members of the Women's University Club on Friday, May 12, in Lisner Hall. Janeiro Brooks is directing the play. The other arrangements are being made by Sam Aiken, the chairman of the play committee.

The play will be given for the benefit of the Dean Wilbur Portrait Fund, the Hospital Fund, and other activities to which the club is contributing. The admission will be 50 cents. Candy will be sold during the intermission.

## CIVIL ENGINEERS ORGANIZE.

Members of several civil engineering classes recently met and formed an organization for the purpose of affiliating a student chapter with the American Society of Civil Engineers. H. H. Dutton was elected president at the meeting on April 21. The other officers are: C. K. Yingling, Jr., vice president; T. F. Stewart, secretary; D. O. Reed, treasurer. The membership in the society will be open to all students of civil engineering. The next meeting of the society will be May 5, at 8 p. m. in room 41, Lisner Hall.

## SIGMA CHI'S PLAN MOTHERS' TEA.

Besides holding a big picnic at Great Falls last Sunday at which about 30 couples attended, Sigma Chi will hold their annual Mothers' Tea next Sunday, April 30.

## WREATH PLACED BY SIGMA NU.

Delegates from the various chapters of the Sigma Nu fraternity, led by the local chapter in George Washington University, visited Arlington Cemetery last Sunday evening and placed a wreath upon the shrine of the unknown dead soldier of the world war.

## ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

The engagement of Essie Lee Pearson and Floyd A. Tusler, lieutenant in the United States Navy, has just been announced. The marriage is to take place some time in June.

## TRAVELERS FRAT ENJOYS DANCE.

One of the most brilliant social events of the school year was an Easter dance held by the Travelers Fraternity at 1432 M Street Northwest on Monday evening, April 17. Mr. and Mrs. R. H. and Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong were the honor guests.

THE OTHER day  
IN A tailor shop  
I WAS sitting  
BEHIND A screen  
WAITING FOR my  
TROUSERS AND A  
FELLOW CAME in  
WITH A dozen  
BUTTONS and he  
WANTED A pair  
OF PANTS sewed  
ON THEM quick;  
AND I had to  
LAUGH SO hard  
THAT I knocked  
OVER THE screen.

## HEARD THROUGHOUT THE COLLEGIATE WORLD

**Haverford.**  
Haverford College will offer to the coming freshman class three scholarships worth \$300. They are based on the Rhodes plan.

**Cambridge.**  
This year brings a new kind of contest between the English universities, Oxford and Cambridge, in the form of an aeroplane meet.

**Allegheny College.**  
Allegheny College has something of a rarity in a large stone slab of the Devonian era. The stone shows quite clearly the imprints of the fossil life of the period, which dates back at least three million years.

## LIMIT SALE OF TICKETS FOR COMFORT OF DANCERS

Committee Forced To Modify Original Plans; Urged To Buy Now; Ticket Agents' Names Given.

Due to the limited capacity of Rauscher's, tickets to the May Carnival have been limited to 300, announced Glenn Corbett, chairman in charge of the May Carnival arrangements, last Tuesday evening. Everyone is urged to get his ticket immediately because all tickets will be called in Tuesday of next week, after which time they will be doubly difficult to get.

Plans had been made for accommodating approximately 1,000 persons at this year's carnival, making it the largest and most successful event ever staged by the Student Council, when the disastrous fire of last Sunday morning destroyed the two ballrooms and several of the top floors of the Willard Hotel, where the Carnival had been scheduled. Hasty changes in plans were made, and the use of Rauscher's ballroom obtained. A Carnival on the large scale had necessarily to be dropped, and the attendance limited to 300 couples.

Tickets may be obtained at any time from the following committee in charge of the sale of tickets: Glenn Corbett, chairman, Law School; Bob Morgan, president of the Interfraternity Council, who holds tickets for the fraternities; Earl Manson, of the Columbian College; Dyer, College of Pharmacy; J. P. Earnest, Medical College; and W. C. Scott, College of Engineering.

## AN OPEN LETTER.

Editor, University Hatchet:

I attended the meeting of the Student Council held on the evening of April 26 as a spectator. I have seen many organizations function at other Universities, namely, the University of Pittsburgh and the University of Michigan, and I wish to make some remarks as to my impression of the meeting. As to my impression of the meeting, I would have to say that such an organization can be a great element for good at any university, but if the action of the Student Council as I viewed it is a sample of the usual procedure, I would be inclined to say that the opposite is the case in this instance.

I would have no criticism to make of any action, except the one concerning the election of members of The Hatchet staff. It seems to me that selection of members of such a staff is a matter that should not be placed in the hands of the council. It is not a matter for political preference, but, rather, a matter of efficiency and cooperation.

The council is not in any position to judge the efficiency of any man for the position, as such efficiency is decided by past work. It is my observation and belief that best results can be obtained if the executive officers of The Hatchet staff were to be chosen by the staff. In staff men can be selected who will receive the hearty cooperation of the staff and whom the staff think efficient in their work. This would not only be just to the staff, but, it would seem to me, would be the only method common sense would dictate. If politics are to rule, irrespective of merit and ability, then by all means have the selection left in the hands of the council; but if the main object is to be efficiency, allow the staff of The Hatchet to select their own executive officers. They will be glad to fill the positions. Any other method can produce only dissatisfaction and discord in the staff.

Although I am now a member of the staff, I have no ambitions to hold any executive position on the staff for next year. I am leaving the University at the end of this year, and so make my observations purely as a student interested in the welfare both of the staff of The Hatchet and the University as a whole. I claim that the best interests of The Hatchet and the University can be met only by election such as is held for captains in the athletic organizations of the University, where the need of efficiency and cooperation is recognized. Let us cast petty politics and political ambitions aside, and using common sense and justice, permit The Hatchet staff to choose the men who are to lead them through the next year—allow them to choose the men they think capable and under whom they will be glad to work. Any other course is unfair and is pure folly. Respectfully, William S. Becker.

## MASONS TO MEET.

All G. W. Masons are requested to attend the regular monthly meeting of the G. W. U. Masonic Club Wednesday evening, May 10, at 8 p. m. Business of general interest will be discussed.

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The Enosian Society, the oldest organization in the University, has decided to be more stringent in its requirements for membership. At a meeting of the society held last Monday evening an amendment to its constitution was adopted whereby candidates for admission must attain an "A" average in at least 12 hours work and in addition submit and deliver before the society a paper of some literary effort. The amendment also provides that not more than six undergraduates shall be elected from those candidates qualifying under the above conditions and in any school year.

This action was decided upon after two meetings of lengthy consideration and because of the desire to live up to the traditions fostered by the society for 100 years. It is believed that such action will work for the best interests of the student body as well as the University itself. Membership in Enosian will be a coveted honor.

The following were elected to membership: J. Foster Hagan, Robert W. Goffesh, Clarence Churchman, Elizabeth Booth, Jean Stophoeit, Peyton Hawes and Helen Mankey.

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## CARNIVAL AT RAUSCHER'S

(Continued from page one.)

best Law: John Paul Earnest, Medical; Earl Hanson, Columbian; Bob Morgan, Law, and Charles Dyer, Pharmacy. Unusual efforts are being made to make the decorations of the Connecticut Avenue ballroom as attractive as possible. Colorful designs in spirit with the occasion will be used, while the costumes of the dancers are expected to be diversified enough to turn the place into a veritable fairland.

The dance will begin at 9 sharp and will continue until 1:30 to the strains of Boernstein's famous ten-piece orchestra, which is now playing at the Washington Hotel. Their specialty is to irritate the nerves of the feet, and they are acknowledged masters of their art.

Numerous side features are planned. Prizes will be awarded for the best looking and most extreme costumes. In the abundance of costumes, G. W.'s May Fete Carnival will be turned into a grand and glorious Mardi-Gras with the most popular girl—that is, the one who is unbroken in on the most—being crowned queen of the May. Many more surprises are being worked out by the most versatile of local fun-concocters. Not even the committee in charge has been allowed to dig up all these secrets, which will be used to make the hours glide swiftly by.

Tickets, which have been limited and are near the point of exhaustion, may be obtained for the price of three berries from all Student Council members and from Interfraternity delegates.

President Harding heads the list of patrons, but will not be there. Among those invited are President of the University and Mrs. H. L. Hodgkins, the Deans of the University, the Board of Trustees, the President's Council, the University Council, the Board of Education of the District and the City Commissioners.

**FRATS AND SORORITIES PRESENT AT FROSH LAW DANCE SUCCESS**

If the manner in which members of a class turn out for class functions is an indication of the true class spirit and interest, the 1924 Law Class stands well up on the class-spirit barometer. The dance, which was held at the Franklin Square Hotel last Thursday night, was the most successful of any of the class dances held this year. Nearly 200 couples were present. Practically every fraternity and sorority in the University was represented, as was the Student Council, Law School Senate, the faculty and upperclass men. The specialty prize was awarded to Jack Smalwood, while honorable mention was given to James Duggan.

**CAPTURES ONE-SIDED CONTEST.**

Kappa Sigma defeated Kappa Alpha in a loosely played game, in which the K. A. pitcher was wild.

## SUCCESS

Is Seen for May Fete Carnival by Student Leaders.

The campus is anxiously awaiting the advent of the May Carnival. Talk centers around it and every gathering upon the concrete uses it for the main topic of conversation.

The fire of Sunday morning at the Willard completely gutted the ballroom and made it necessary to find new quarters in which to hold this greatest event of the school year. It was feared at first that the date would have to be changed to accommodate the change of locale, but due to the energetic work of the committee in charge, who met Monday morning to discuss the necessary change of plans and perfect the arrangements, Raucher's was obtained for the same evening, Thursday, May 4, and the work of sending out the invitations, decorating the ballrooms, and the myriad other details is rapidly nearing completion.

**STUDENT INTEREST GREAT.**

Student interest in the Carnival has reached a point unrivaled by any other activity of the present school year and promises certain success for the venture. As last year was the first time the Carnival was held, the interest this year is unusual, showing as it does such a rapid growth of interest and popularity for the event. Although the success of the Junior Prom has been to this time unrivaled, the Carnival promises to surpass it. Judging from the comment, a record crowd is expected, and Raucher's will be the scene of much merriment. To care for the crowd expected, both ballrooms will be used.

**EXCELLENT MUSIC OBTAINED.**

Boernstein's Washington Hotel Orchestra will furnish the music for the dancers, and as this is one of the city's best musical organizations, much enjoyment is expected for those who are lucky enough to attend. An excellent program of the latest and best dance hits is promised, and the rendition will be of the highest order obtainable.

Coming as the calendar of the Carnival is near, the event of the year furnishes welcome diversion from preparation and worry attendant on the coming final examinations.

Representatives of the faculty will be present, among whom will be President and Mrs. Hodgkins. President Hodgkins expresses confidence in the success of the affair and satisfaction in the plans formulated to make it a success. Arthur Hall, editor of the lively "Hatchet," claims it will be the biggest affair of the school year. "The Carnival will be a success and will be remembered as the biggest social function of this or any past school year," said Mr. Hall.

It is, however, Mr. Walker, Mr. Hall's rival for literary honors and editor of The Hatchet, also prophesies great success for the Carnival.

**"BRYAN'S" PET PROJECT.**

Bryan Morse, Director of Student Activities, has expended great effort to make this Carnival a success and expresses great satisfaction with the progress made and the progress in carrying out these plans. Mr. Morse has given his utmost support and been of great assistance in carrying it to success. "It is, he says, his pet project in the spring calendar."

The Student Council is greatly interested, as it is in every expression of student thought and activity, and it has lent admirable support and hearty cooperation in carrying the plans to successful culmination. The thought and feeling of the council is best expressed in the statement of Miss Lil-smith, secretary, who said: "The Carnival is the highest expression of student social sense. Its success last year was unparalleled by any previous social event, and the carnival this year promises to be a great success. Even the success of its predecessor. Student interest in it is unusually great, and anything that arouses such interest is worthy of the support of every official organization. It is my opinion that within a few years the annual May Carnival will be among the University's dearest traditions."

Carl Peterson, editor of the University annual, the "Cherry Tree," expresses every confidence in the success of the affair and is lending it his heartiest support.

**GRATIFIED AT PLANS.**

Bob Anderson, president of the Student Council, says that he is highly gratified with the plans for the Carnival and the apparent success with which they are meeting. Mr. Anderson's approval of the event is evidenced by the support he has given it. As leader of the chosen representatives of the student body, Mr. Anderson's interest and confidence would seem to presage the greatest success for the project.

Other influential and leading members of the student body, among whom are included John Paul Earnest and Ralph Nagle, express themselves as highly confident that the Carnival will be remembered by the student body as the high light of the University social season.

**GAYEST SOCIAL EVENT ASSURED.**

Although the Carnival is now less than a week away, and little time is left for the completion of the work needed to make it the success planned for it, the time will seem long and slow in passing until the much-heralded evening arrives and Raucher's becomes the scene of much joyfulness and of pretty dancing by men and fair maidens in varied costumes. The student interest shown, and this present Carnival will become one of the foundation stones for the tradition that will assure a yearly repetition of the University's gayest social event.

**ALUMNI ASSOCIATION**

**BALLOTS FOR TRUSTEES**

To Pick Two Members for Board From Field of Six.

Elimination of two of the nominees proposed by the executive committee of the Alumni Association for the position of Alumni Trustees will be held on Saturday. The candidates are as follows: William Bruce King, A. B. '78; L. L. M. '81; Joseph Stewart, John T. Doyle, P. L. Thurston, Samuel Herrick, W. E. Clark.

Two of the candidates receiving the lowest number of votes are eliminated on the first ballot; on the second ballot, which will be held later, two more will be eliminated, leaving the remaining candidates. The executive committee will propose to the Board of Trustees for confirmation.

**OFFICE HAS MAIL FOR STUDENTS.**

Mail is being held in the Registrar's office for the following: Warren Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Warren, James W. Love, and E. I. Goodwin.

## Y. W. C. A. INSTALLS CABINET AT BANQUET

Given in Honor of Advisory Committee. Impressive Candlelight Service Held in Ceremonies.

A banquet was held at the Women's University Club rooms on Wednesday evening of last week, at which the members of the old and new cabinets of the Y. W. C. A. entertained the advisory committee. About 30 persons were present to enjoy the delicious courses, which were prepared and served by the members themselves. The advisory committee at present consists of President Hodgkins, Dean and Mrs. Wilbur, Dean Rose, Miss McQuillen and Miss Thurston.

An impressive candlelight installation service was held after the banquet at which the candles of the members of the new cabinet were lighted in the flame of those held by members of the former cabinet.

The officers installed were Mable Bennett, president; Bernice Valey, vice president; Alice Cushman, secretary; Maxine Roll, treasurer; and the following committee chairmen: Helen Loomis, program; Nelda Umbeck, social service; Elizabeth Kendrick, citizen ship; Dorothy Nichols, Bible study; Janelle Brooks, publicity; Eleanor Mc-Murphy, conference; June Cooper, membership.

## OPPORTUNITY GIVEN TO HELP REFUGEES

Women's University Club Distributing Yarn To Make Into Clothing; Contribution of Articles Needed.

Girls of G. W. U. are being given an opportunity to do practical missionary work in making hose and other articles of wearing apparel for the Russian refugees in Europe, according to Helen Loomis, of the Students' Russian Relief Committee. Yarn and other material to be made into articles of clothing will be distributed from the Women's University Club rooms at 13 Street every Monday from 4 to 5 p. m. The committee will also receive old clothing for the refugees, which may be left at the club rooms at any time.

This work is being done in response to the appeal made in March by Princess Canaan, who is in charge of the work. All students are requested to contribute in old clothing and in work for the refugees. Members of the committee in charge of this work are Elizabeth Kendrick, Helen Loomis and Annette Steele, from whose yarn and other materials may be received at any time.

## LAW SCHOOL SENATE ELECTIONS FOR MONDAY

Hold-Over Plan Proposed but Defeated; Time of Voting Changed from October to May.

As the result of the vote taken in the class sections of the Law School last Monday evening, the election for membership in the Law School Senate for each coming year will be held on the first Monday in May of each year, rather than on the first Monday in October, as has been the usual custom. This of course will only apply to the third and second year classes, as the first year or senior class would go into history.

It had first been thought of holding hold-over elections for one senator from each class in a manner similar to that used in the Student Council elections. This latter plan had been sponsored by George Hughes and a number of other seniors. It would have obviated the necessity of members of the Senate going before the various classes and asking for their support at least one of last year's members, and then trust to the result of the ballot. However, the majority seemed to be in favor of trying out the course voted upon last Monday.

Under the above action, elections will be held in the two lower classes next Monday night for the three senators to represent their respective class for the coming year.

## OLD-TIMERS RECALL PAST SOCIAL DOINGS

(Continued from page one.)

at the Arcade during the early part of this term, and to my mind the congenial G. W. U. spirit exhibited on that occasion by a representative G. W. U. gathering was a thing to be long remembered and cherished in the hearts and minds of G. W. U. students. President Hodgkins was there with a representative group of faculty members, and every member of the student body who has a real interest in the University made it a point to be present. May all success attend the coming May Carnival. It has now become a G. W. U. institution and deserves the loyal support of every G. W. U. student.

**Recalls Past Carnival.**

Everyone attendant upon last year's May Carnival will now look back with pleasant retrospect on that memorable evening. Everything was at its best that night, including the prevailing style in Washington weather. The rain was of the w. k. torrential variety, a regular moving picture downpour. David Wark, which could not have been done better with a fire hose and an aeroplane propeller at top speed. Did it have any effect on the revelry by night at Fourteenth and Park Road? Let us inform you it did not. Everyone was there, but possibly not all with their hair in a curl. And the costumes. Hot-towel! The harem and bathing motifs were predominant, but the notable Romans and reckless cowboys came in for a good showing, too. One little (?) girl wore a splash-me suit, the sweetest thing!

**CAPTURE OVERCOAT THIEF.**

One of the overcoat thieves of George Washington University has at last been caught. George H. Parker, a youth residing in the Northwest section, but not a student, was arraigned before the police court last Friday on the charge of stealing overcoats from the premises of G. W. U.

He had previously confessed, it is alleged, that he had stolen four overcoats, two of which were recovered and identified by the owners. The others were sold, one to a Greek who has returned to Europe, the other to a negro. When arraigned before the court, Parker pleaded "Not guilty." He will be given a jury trial in the near future. Parker has also been charged with forgery and with breaking his parole.

**CANDY SALE SUCCESSFUL.**

The second annual candy sale given by the Juniors of the Teachers College during St. Patrick's week proved to be quite a success. Fifty dollars of the proceeds was sent to Dr. Brigham as a contribution to the Dean Wilbur portrait fund. Last year about this same amount was given to girls' athletics.

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## TRACK MEN THIRD IN HILLTOP MEET

Nichols Wins First Place in Hurdles;  
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countered in Training; Draw Post  
Position in Penn Relay Races.

Although all sorts of obstacles block  
their path, the Buff and Blue track men  
"carry on" and are giving a good ac-  
count of themselves on the outdoor track.  
Lack of training quarters, time to prac-  
tice, and all of the other facilities so  
necessary to an ideal Mercury hold up  
the Hatchettes, but practicing early in  
the morning and late at night, with the  
poorest of facilities, they are rounding  
into form.

Some weeks ago, with little or no  
training, they gave a good account of  
themselves, although falling to place in  
the G. W. indoor meet at Convention  
hall. Last Saturday they ran third at  
Georgetown's outdoor meet.

Competing against the District's best  
at the Hilltop last Saturday afternoon,  
George Washington did exceptionally  
well, scoring 19 points to place third  
behind Georgetown and University of  
Maryland. The Blue and Gray piled up  
80 points; the Farmers from out at Col-  
lege Park scored 20 and Gallaudet ran  
last with eight.

Nichols, former Western High star  
and District record holder in the high  
hurdles; Tracy in the distance, and Tol-  
son in the field events totaled all of  
the Hatchettes' points.

"Nick" showed clever form in beating  
Hennessy, G. U., and "Ed" Pugh of the  
Old Line State, in the fast time of 17 2-5  
seconds. Toison scored a second in the  
pole vault and a third in the broad  
jump, while Tracy captured third place  
in the two-mile run to complete the  
scoring for the Morsemen.

A team is entered in the famous Penn  
relays, and it was lucky enough to  
draw the post position, which was in  
good to the final result, and with  
other local meets, the G. W. athletes  
look forward to closing a successful  
season.

## REPORT OF BASKETBALL SEASON GIVEN COUNCIL

Manager Praised for His Efforts;  
Seven Men Receive Awards of  
Gold Basketballs.

After a delay of several weeks, due  
to a number of causes, Bernard Bur-  
dick, chairman of the athletic commit-  
tee, Student Council, submitted to that  
body a report on the basketball season  
of 1922 at a recent meeting of the  
council. No definite financial statement  
is available at the present time, but it  
is known, according to the report, that  
the standing of the activity in this re-  
spect is good, and that all equipment  
has been turned in and accounted for.  
Burdick gave great credit to the bas-  
ketball manager for 1922, Fitzhugh  
Hurley, for his excellent work in this  
capacity, considering the serious handi-  
caps he was forced to work under.

In accordance with the recommenda-  
tion of the Director of Student Activities  
and the manager and captain of  
the basketball team, the following men  
were awarded the University letters:  
Fitzhugh Hurley, manager; John Daily,

captain; Clarence Gosnell, Felix Altrup,  
Earl Chesney, G. W. Hughes and Wil-  
liard Bracklow.

Gold footballs are to be presented to  
the football letter men, and gold bas-  
ketballs to the basketball letter men,  
according to a decision of the council at  
this meeting, while sweaters are to be  
given to the letter men of the track and  
basketball teams.

## ADVOCATES FREE TICKETS TO G. W. CLUB MEMBERS

Benefit to University is Claimed; Will-  
ing To Aid All Student Activities  
at George Washington.

A meeting of the G. W. Club has  
been called for next Monday in the  
Alumni Room of the Law School at  
3 p. m. President Hatcher stated  
this will be the most important  
meeting of the year, as the election  
of officers for next year will be  
taken up. A new plan with also  
adopted, as at the last meeting it  
was voted to reject the old one and  
design a new one, which will be  
more in keeping with the ideals  
and dignity of the club. President  
Hatcher requested that every mem-  
ber of the club be present.

At the last meeting of the Student  
Council James C. Hatcher, president of  
the G. W. Club and manager of the  
wrestling team, appeared and advocat-  
ed a new plan to stimulate student in-  
terest and support of athletic events.

Mr. Hatcher advocates consulting  
holders of letters won in athletic ac-  
tivities when any activity is being  
planned. He asks that tickets be is-  
sued free to all G. W. Club men to all  
athletic events and that their opinions  
be requested and their cooperation and  
support asked. Mr. Hatcher believes  
the men in his organization have shown  
a willingness to work that is foreign  
to most members of the student body,  
and the fact that they hold their letters  
and have won them through work of  
the hardest sort demonstrates that in-  
terest. He plans to build around these  
men an organization that will advance  
the plans for student activities and will  
draw the support and interest of the  
rest of the student body.

Mr. Hatcher told a member of The  
Hatchet staff when interviewed: "The  
fact that a man holds his letter through  
athletic ability and subsequent hard  
work on athletic teams marks him as a  
hustler with interest in the advance-  
ment of his school. These men have  
received through their work advertise-  
ment that brings them before the stu-  
dent body in a manner denied to other  
persons, and their names are recognized  
whenever they are mentioned. They  
are marked as workers and the stu-  
dent body recognizes their abilities and  
interests. These men have worked for  
the school and are willing and anxious  
to work further for it. I plan to use  
them as a nucleus around which to  
build an organization which will ad-  
vance the plans for the several student  
activities and to use their popularity  
and recognized standing, as well as  
their ability and desire to work, in such  
a way as to further such activity plans  
and to carry them through to success.  
To hold their interest and recognize  
their ability I suggest free tickets be  
given them to all athletic events so  
they may keep in touch with such  
events and their interest be held. The  
school has in these men an organi-  
zation which contains great potential power  
for aiding the school. The fact that  
they are organized will permit coopera-  
tion in handling problems, and if they

## GIRLS' ACTIVITIES.

The girls swimmers' interclass meet  
and exhibition, which was to have been  
held last Friday evening at the Central  
High pools, has been postponed indef-  
nitely until after the May Carnival,  
due to the fact that the authorities  
would not permit the pools to be filled  
during the Easter holidays. A date  
will be decided upon and announced  
shortly.

The 32 girls who have signed up for  
the tennis tournaments have already  
started the season in full swing. The  
16 preliminaries, which must be over by  
the 30th, are rapidly being played off;  
however, the several players who have  
not yet found it convenient to meet  
their partners, are urged to speed up,  
or they will lose their games by de-  
fault.

Manager Mae Adelle Markley an-  
nounces that at every match game  
there must be a referee who has her  
official sanction. This provision is ab-  
solutely final. Those who cannot ob-  
tain a referee will be accommodated  
upon application to Miss Markley.

## GIRLS' MONOGRAM CLUB ADOPTS CONSTITUTION

Basketball Letters and Numerals  
Awarded; Want Same Recognition  
as Men's Sport Receive.

Martha McGrew, president of the  
Girls' G. W. Club, states that in her  
opinion girls' athletics should have the  
same recognition as men's. The girls  
work hard for their sports and deserve  
to have them recognized.

At the meeting of the Girls' G. W.  
Club April 19, the newly drafted con-  
stitution was read and approved. There  
are to be two regular meetings of the  
club, one early in the year, one later,  
when the awards will be made. The  
Student Council and Board of Managers  
decide the requirements for the awards.

After Miss McGrew had spoken in  
appreciation of the basketball squad,  
G. W.'s were presented to the following  
girls: Mary Bixler, Margaret Bowie,  
Margaret Brewer, Nell Umbeck, Bea-  
trice Woodford, Daisy Robison, Martha  
Dunham and Lucy Proctor. The fol-  
lowing girls received numerals: Anna  
Gilford, Esther Eckert, Helen Hastings,  
Mabelle Bennett, Emily Jones, Marian  
Bailey, Dorothy Lewis and Margaret  
Beck. Margaret Daley was given the  
scroll as sophomore assistant of bas-  
ketball.

Daisy Robison, on behalf of the girls,  
then presented Martha McGrew with a  
sweater, beautifully fitted with all ac-  
cessories, as a token of their apprecia-  
tion of her work.

Da'sy Robison, on behalf of the girls,  
then presented Martha McGrew with a  
sweater, beautifully fitted with all ac-  
cessories, as a token of their apprecia-  
tion of her work.

were to be consulted upon all activities  
plans and their cooperation requested  
and used, I believe much good would  
come from it."

It would seem that the G. W. Club is  
willing to offer such cooperation as Mr.  
Hatcher advises, and although some-  
thing new, it would prove an interest-  
ing experiment, and while it could do  
no harm might quite conceivably do  
a great amount of good.

## LOCAL RACQUETERS DOWN BROOKLANDERS

Captain Ladd Captures Two Love Sets;  
Win Both Double Matches; Grove Is  
Best of New Men; Team Plays W. &  
L. and V. M. I. at Lexington, Va.;  
Face Blue and Gray Saturday.

When the Buff and Blue crossed rac-  
quets with their old opponents from  
Brookland, it was the third time this  
year that the two have met on the ath-  
letic field, but, contrary to the two pre-  
vious engagements, the Hatchettes  
came out on top. Winning four of their  
six matches, the local racquetters wiped  
out the court with the C. U. men. Capt.  
Ladd beat his men two love sets, while  
Grove won his match. Myers and  
Straey were defeated.

In the doubles Ladd and Ballenger  
defeated Slattery and Courand, while  
Grove and Straey wiped out Vail and  
Neill.

Summary—Singles: Ladd (G. W.) de-  
feated Vail (C. U.), 6-0, 6-0; Slattery  
(C. U.) defeated Straey (G. W.), 6-2,  
6-4; Grove (G. W.) defeated Lambert  
(C. U.), 6-1, 6-1; Mulville (C. U.) de-  
feated Myers (G. W.), 6-3, 6-1. Dou-  
bles: Ballenger and Ladd (G. W.) de-  
feated Slattery and Courand (C. U.),  
6-2, 6-1; Grove and Straey (G. W.)  
defeated Vail and Neill (C. U.), 6-2,  
3-6, 6-2.

MEET HILLTOPPERS SATURDAY.

This week the team is on a three-day  
trip in the wilds of Virginia, meeting  
Virginia Military Institute and Wash-  
ington and Lee at Lexington, Va. Capt.  
Johnny Ladd, Manager Glover, Ballen-  
ger and Rutley are making the trip.  
Immediately after coming from their  
sojourn in the Old Dominion State they  
meet the Hilltoppers Saturday, April 29.

EXTENDS TIME FOR GOLF.

Bernard Burdick, in charge of the  
golf tournament, announces that the  
time limit for the qualifying rounds  
has been extended to May 2. Shortly  
after that pairings will be made.

## CORRECTION.

The Hatchet desires to correct the  
impression given in its article on the  
history essay contest that any student  
in the University is eligible to compete  
in this contest. The contest is limited  
to those members of the Senior Class  
who have, during the period of their  
enrollment in the University, displayed  
unusual aptitude in the study of the  
history courses offered.

S. P. E. WIN IN LATE RALLY.

Hatcher, pitching for the Sigma Phi  
Epsilon nine, although freely hit,  
turned in a victory in a practice game  
over Delta Tau Delta Sunday morning.  
By a ninth-inning rally S. P. E. scored  
4 runs after the Delta pitcher had held  
them scoreless for eight frames. The  
final count was 4-3 in favor of S. P. E.

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